



ALTON URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH

and

CHIEF PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR

and HOUSING MANAGER

for the year

1972

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Warden:	Mrs. L. Ham
Warden:	Mrs. V. Gardner



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REPORT OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH
FOR THE YEAR 1972

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to present my Annual Report for 1972, prepared as directed by the Minister of Health and Social Security.

The health of the town was good, with remarkably little infectious disease being notified. Influenza (not of course notifiable) did appear during the winter but the new variety did not seem unduly severe.

There was a marked increase in the sexually transmitted diseases. Part of it may be due to greater readiness to go for examination when in doubt - which is a good thing as far as it goes and no-one need hesitate through fear of his name becoming known - but it does not alter the fact that these cases have occurred and that the trend is still upwards.

The estimated population at mid-year was 13,080. This is an increase of 540, very modest after last year's jump, which must be accepted as a correction based on the 1971 census of accumulated under-estimates for some years previously. The natural increase was 133.

Building of the new Health Centre has begun.

Reorganisation of Local Government has proceeded and plans for the amalgamation of Departments now await the approval of the new Council.

Reorganisation of the Health Service has produced problems. It seems inevitable that the new Alton/Petersfield Local Government District will be divided about equally between the North and the South East Health Districts, based on Basingstoke and Portsmouth respectively.

Finally, I must thank the Chairman and Members of the Public Health Committee for their interest and support in my work, and Mr. Ling and the staff of the Health Department for their continued loyalty and co-operation.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant

I. H. C. MORTON.
Medical Officer of Health.

General Statistics

Area in Acres	...	...	...	...	4,085
Rateable Value	...	...	...	...	£663,671
Sum represented by lp rate	...	...	...	...	£5,937
Population (mid 1972)					13,080

Medical Statistics

				Rate for England & Wales
LIVE BIRTHS				
Total number (21 illegitimate)	255			
Rate per 1,000 population	...	19.5		
Rate (adjusted by Comp. factor 0.83)	...	16.2	14.8	
Illegitimate as a percentage of total	...	8	9	
STILL BIRTHS				
Number (1 illegitimate)	...	4		
Rate per 1,000 all births	...	15	12	
TOTAL BIRTHS	...	...	...	259
DEATHS				
Total number	...	122		
Rate per 1,000 population	...	9.3		
Rate (adjusted by Comp. factor 1.14)	...	10.6	12.1	
Infants under 1 year (all legitimate)	...	2		
Infants under 4 weeks (included in above)	...	1		
Infants under 1 week (included in above)	...	1		
INFANT MORTALITY RATES (per 1,000 live births)				
Total (under 1 year)	...	8	17	
Neonatal (under 4 weeks)	...	4	12	
Early neonatal (under 1 week)	...	4	10	
Perinatal (stillbirths plus early neonatal per 1,000 all births)	...	19	22	
MATERNAL MORTALITY (including abortion)				
...	...	...		Nil

	Cause of Death					Male	Female	Total
B19(3)	Malignant Neoplasm, Stomach	...	...	...		-	2	2
B19(4)	Malignant Neoplasm, Intestine	...	...	...		-	2	2
B19(6)	Malignant Neoplasm, Lung, Bronchus	...	...	...		7	-	7
B19(7)	Malignant Neoplasm, Breast	...	...	...		-	1	1
B19(8)	Malignant Neoplasm, Uterus	...	...	...		-	1	1
B19(9)	Malignant Neoplasm, Prostate	...	...	...		1	-	1
B19(10)	Leukaemia	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
B19(11)	Other Malignant Neoplasms	...	...	...		6	4	10
B20	Benign and unspecified Neoplasms	...	...	...		1	-	1
B21	Diabetes Mellitus	...	...	...	...	-	1	1
B46(1)	Other Endocrine etc. diseases	...	...	...		1	-	1
B23	Anaemias	...	...	...	...	-	1	1
B26	Chronic Rheumatic Heart Disease	...	...	...		-	1	1
B27	Hypertensive Disease	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
B28	Ischaemic Heart Disease	...	...	...		15	13	28
B29	Other forms of Heart Disease	...	...	...		1	3	4
B30	Cerebrovascular Disease	...	...	...		6	11	17
B46(6)	Other Diseases of Circulatory System	...	...	...		3	5	8
B31	Influenza	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
B32	Pneumonia	...	...	...	...	2	5	7
B33(1)	Bronchitis and Emphysema	...	...	...		5	4	9
B46(7)	Other Diseases of Respiratory System	...	...	...		-	1	1
B34	Peptic Ulcer	...	...	...	...	-	1	1
B46(8)	Other Diseases of Digestive System	...	...	...		-	1	1
B46(9)	Other Diseases, Genito-Urinary System	...	...	...		2	-	2
B46(11)	Diseases of Musculo-Skeletal System	...	...	...		-	1	1
B42	Congenital Anomalies	...	...	...	...	-	1	1
BE47	Motor Vehicle Accidents	...	...	...		1	2	3
BE48	All Other Accidents	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
BE49	Suicide and Self-Inflicted Injuries	...	...	...		1	-	1
BE50	All Other External Causes	...	...	...		1	-	1
Total All Causes						57	65	122

Deaths according to ages

Age Group in Years	Male	Female	Total
Under 1		2	2
1 - 4		1	1
5 - 14		-	-
15 - 24	1	1	2
25 - 34		1	1
35 - 44	2	1	3
45 - 54	2	3	5
55 - 64	7	3	10
65 - 74	23	16	39
75 - 84	11	19	30
85 - 94	11	16	27
95 +		2	
		(96&102)	2
	57	65	122

Coronary artery disease remains the commonest cause of death.

The youngest sufferer was only 40 years old and there was another only a few years older.

Lung cancer is the commonest of the malignancies and the number has increased from two last year to seven.

There were two deaths from influenza but no increase in other respiratory diseases, so it seems that the influenza virus was not unduly virulent.

True infant mortality amounted to one respiratory infection.

Perinatal mortality consisted of one death at two days and four stillbirths. Two had congenital abnormalities and one an unpreventable accident.

Infectious Diseases

The following table shows the numbers of cases of infectious diseases notified during the past five years:-

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
Scarlet Fever	6	1	-	5	-
Whooping Cough	2	1	-	-	-
Measles	5	101	9	12	3
Dysentery	-	-	-	15	-
Food Poisoning	-	10	1	6	-
Infectious Hepatitis	9	-	3	-	1
Encephalitis	-	-	1	-	-

This remarkable freedom from infectious disease appears in several neighbouring districts and one hopes it is going to be continued. There was an outbreak of what seemed to be bowel infection with a virus during the autumn but as this is not notifiable there is no exact information.

Tuberculosis

One new case was reported - a man of over 60 with pulmonary infection.

Sexually Transmitted Diseases

Four cases of gonorrhoea were reported and four of non-specific urethritis. There were seventeen cases of other sexually transmitted diseases, of whom three were girls under 17. Some of this apparent increase may be due to greater readiness to go for examination when in doubt, but obviously not all of it.

Immunisation

The following table shows the numbers of children recorded as immunised during the year:-

Year of Birth	TRIPLE		DIP-TET		DIPH		POLIO		Smallpox		Measles	Rubella
	Primy	Reinf	Primy	Reinf	Primy	Reinf	Primy	Reinf	Primy	Reinf		
72	3	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	3	-	-	-
71	166	4	2	-	-	-	166	-	5	-	118	-
70	72	2	9	-	-	-	84	1	-	-	90	-
69	2	-	1	1	-	-	4	23	4	-	12	-
65/68	3	17	-	166	-	3	4	162	-	3	49	-
Others Under 16	-	3	-	22	-	1	13	118	4	63	-	537
Total	246	26	12	189	-	4	275	304	16	66	269	537

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Number of children Heaf tested	515
Number of children positive	27
Number of children vaccinated	466

Accidents in the Home

I am indebted to the Secretary, Lord Mayor Treloar Hospital for the following information on accident cases brought to the hospital.

Fifty patients were seen. The considerable drop from previous figures must unfortunately be due in part to the temporary closure of the Casualty Department due to staffing difficulties.

Children under five accounted for 23, including 11 falls and 7 swallowed articles. Once more, faulty supervision is to blame.

Falls were the commonest accident - 22 at all ages.

Fortunately there was only one severe injury.

Road Accidents

I am indebted to the Chief Constable of Hampshire for the following notes which are based on his quarterly analyses of accidents.

1972 was the worst year for road accidents in Hampshire since 1966.

The principal causes were:-

- Turning right carelessly
- Pedestrians stepping or running into the road carelessly
- Losing control of the vehicle
- Crossing a road junction carelessly
- Drink or drugs

Although drink is not at the top of the total list, it shares first place on the list of fatalities with losing control and running into the road. Accidents due to drink in the last quarter increased by 83 per cent compared with the same quarter in 1971 and the Chief Constable comments this aspect of road accidents is becoming one of our most serious problems.

Family Planning

As in previous years, I am indebted to Doctor Margaret Lloyd for the following notes on the Alton Family Planning Clinic:-

In April, the County Council took over responsibility for Family Planning in Hampshire. This means that the service is now free except for supplies. Supplies also are free if there are medical reasons.

This is a step towards full integration into the National Health Service and has led to considerable increase in attendances.

Clinics are held on Monday evenings and Thursday mornings and afternoons at Alton General Hospital.

The pill is still the most popular method and there are now several varieties of it to suit different physical types. All women using it are given a full examination every year.

Advice is also given on marital difficulties and sub-fertility.

Health Education

As in previous years, the main theme has been anti-smoking, with the display of Health Education Council material.

Food hygiene posters were displayed during summer months and material on Measles vaccination.

Meals on Wheels

The number of meals served was 2,358 of which the recipient is charged 10p.

In addition 6,363 lunches were served at the Old People's Lunch Club at Red Cross House to Alton Urban District residents at a cost of 12p per person.

Home Help

This is now under the Social Service Department and I am grateful to the Divisional Organisers for the following information. The figures are for the combined Urban and Rural Districts.

216 cases received help:-

Aged and infirm	160
Chronic sick	28
Post hospital	9
Maternity	10
Mentally ill	2
Emergency	1
Child Care	6

24 Home Helps and 22 Good Neighbours were employed, a slightly smaller staff, although the case load was greater.

National Assistance Act 1948

No action was required.

Annual Report of the Chief Public Health Inspector and
Housing Manager for the year ended 31st December, 1972

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to present my report for the year 1972.

Apart from food complaints the day to day running of the Department has been similar to previous years. There appears, however, to be an increase in the number of food complaints lodged with the Health Department but the extra cases are made up of trivial complaints rather than those of a more serious nature and where action can be taken either by the Department or the Weights and Measures Department of the Hampshire County Council.

It is obvious that the general public is being made more aware of "consumer protection" and the individual's right of complaint.

During the year I suffered a cerebral thrombosis which necessitated an absence from office of some seven months and I am grateful to Mr. Gunn for the way in which he held the fort and to Mr. McCarthy for ably assisting him during that time.

I wish also to thank the Chairman and Members of the Public Health Committee and the Housing Committee for their support and Doctor Morton for his assistance and guidance.

DUDLEY M. LING
Chief Public Health Inspector and Housing Manager.

SECTION 1

Public Health Acts

No serious contraventions under the above Acts were noted. All minor faults were quickly brought to notice and were duly attended to without the department resorting to statutory action.

Factories

Several new factories have sprung up on the Industrial Estate and these together with the existing factories received regular inspections. No contraventions of any importance have been found.

The Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Act, 1963

There is now a slow but steady increase in the town's commercial sector with shops varying from betting shops to freezer companies. A good standard of working conditions continues to prevail in the town with only minor contraventions of the Act noted. All were remedied without complaint.

Pet Shops, Game Dealers, Scrap Metal Dealers

Premises licenced under the above Acts received regular inspection during the year. No contraventions were found.

SECTION II

Housing Acts

The department continues to act as "liaison" officers between landlord and tenant, although it seems that these duties are becoming more numerous and increasingly difficult to resolve without resorting to legal action.

Since the advent of Fair Rents, both tenant and landlord are becoming increasingly militant towards each other, eventually resorting to this department to sort out their differences.

This condition is even more aggravated by the fact that a lot of tenanted properties in the town have had new landlords - most of them being development companies or similar organisations who take a very impersonal approach to their recently acquired tenants. Latterly, tenants could approach their landlords directly but to-day one has to go via the rent collector, agent, office manager and eventually a board of directors, just to have a slipped slate replaced.

At the request of the Department of the Environment an extensive survey was carried out by the department during the summer to assess the housing stock of the district. From the survey the following figures were compiled.

The total number of domestic dwellings in the Urban District is 4,338.

Out of this figure it was established that 0.63% of the total housing stock could be classed as "unfit" and 4.65% classed as "improveable".

This is an extremely good record and compares very favourably with the national figures. Over the next ten years it is hoped that these figures will be considerably reduced.

Rent Acts

The department keeps the Register of Fair Rents which is available for public inspection.

The Housing Finance Act, 1972 which came into operation in August has put much of a damper on Qualification Certificate Application.

This is because controlled tenancies can now be decontrolled without the issue of a Qualification Certificate even if the property does not possess all the standard amenities. The date when the properties can be decontrolled is dependent upon its rateable value.

The following table gives the applicable dates and rateable values:-

Date Applicable	Rateable Value at 31.3.72
1st January, 1973	£60 or more
1st July, 1973	£45 - £59
1st January, 1974	£35 - £44
1st July, 1974	£25 - £34
1st January, 1975	£20 - £24
1st July, 1975	Less than £20

Moveable Dwellings

No licensed caravan sites exist in the area but there are a few exempted sites under The Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act, 1960.

Housing Management

The list of allocations and exchanges are set out in Appendix Table V.

Special Housing for the Elderly

Mrs. Gardner continues to be Warden of the Carlings bungalows and Mrs. Ham at Victoria Road East.

I would like to express my appreciation in the way in which they carry out their duties particularly under difficult circumstances.

SECTION III

Milk supplies

Milk retailers in the district continue to sell specially designated milks. Licences are issued by Hampshire County Council.

Brucella Abortus

No sampling is done for this disease as all milk sold within the town is heat treated.

Meat Inspection

E. Brown and Son, Southampton continue to operate the licenced slaughterhouse at Kent Lane.

Revenue from meat inspection charges amounted to £1,065.24

Poultry Inspection

No poultry packing establishments exist within the town.

Alton Market

The market is held every Tuesday in the Market Square and Messrs. Martin and Stratford's Market. The stalls exhibit a variety of household articles and food and a good service is provided.

The weekly Auction Mart sells poultry, game, dairy produce, vegetables, plants and flowers.

I am pleased to report that although regular and frequent inspections are made, it has not been necessary to take statutory action for any contravention.

Food and Drugs

I am indebted to Mr. J. S. Preston, Chief Inspector of Weights and Measures, to the Hampshire County Council for the following report:-

During the year ended 31st March, 1973, 25 samples were procured under the Food and Drugs Act, 1955, within the area of the Alton Urban District Council.

Milk Samples

On this occasion only two samples of milk were obtained within the District, both being satisfactory. It will be appreciated that the supplies were also subject to check in neighbouring areas.

Miscellaneous Samples

23 samples of other foods and drugs were taken, three being the subject of adverse reports, as follows:-

Butter Drops - deficient of butter fat

The products consisted of sugar confectionery which, in view of the description, should have contained not less than 4% of butter fat whereas the amount present was only 2.65%. Proceedings against the manufacturer resulted in a fine of £25 being imposed, together with an order for the payment of £21 costs.

Pasty - contaminated with mould (consumer complaint)

Shortly after purchase the pasty filling was found to be discoloured, this being due to the presence of mould growth. After investigation and in view of the absence of any known previous complaint against the vendor the case was dealt with by a warning.

Bread - contained foreign matter (consumer complaint)

In this case a small number of discoloured particles were noticed in the bread texture but analysis revealed these to consist only of charred dough. The matter was taken up with the bakery company responsible by way of warning.

General

In addition to samples under the Food and Drugs Act, the usual attention was given to the requirements of the Labelling of Food Order and the Pharmacy and Medicines Act concerning the labelling and descriptions of food and medicines. No matters of consequence occurred during the period.

SECTION IV

Pest Control

There was still another increase in the number of properties treated and visits made to premises during 1972, but the increase was caused by infestations by mice whilst the number of rat infested premises was less than in former years.

This year the Hospital have sought the Council's service for the treatment of rodents whilst the premises are still under contract to Commercial Firms for other pests. This has caused extra work but allows a better overall picture of infestation to be seen and must simplify other neighbouring treatments.

There was a decrease in the number of wasp nests dealt with and the other Councils forming the North East Hants Pest Control Committee have reported similarly.

One case of bed bugs was reported and satisfactorily disinfested; fortunately the early notification and treatment prevented the spread of this revolting pest.

A P P E N D I X

TABLE I

Factories Act, 1961

Registered Premises and Inspections

Premises (1)	Number on Register (2)	Inspection (3)	Number of Notices (4)	Occupiers Prose- cuted (5)
(i) Factories in which Section 1, 2, 3, 4 & 6 are to be enforced by the Local Authorities	3	4	-	-
(ii) Factories not included in (i) in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authorities ..	68	56	-	-
(iii) Other Premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding outworkers' premises)	-	-	-	-
Total	71	60	-	-

Cases in which Defects were found

Particulars	Number of cases in which defects were found				Number of cases in which prosecutions were instituted
	Found	Remedied	Referred		
			To H.M. Inspector	By H.M. Inspector	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Want of cleanliness (S.1)	-	-	-	-	-
Overcrowding (S.2)	-	-	-	-	-
Unreasonable temperature (S.3) ..	-	-	-	-	-
Inadequate ventilation (S.4) ..	-	-	-	-	-
Ineffective drainage of floors (S.6)	-	-	-	-	-
Sanitary Conveniences (S.7)					
(a) Insufficient	-	-	-	-	-
(b) Unsuitable or defective ..	-	-	-	-	-
(c) Not separate for sexes ..	-	-	-	-	-
Other offences against the Act (not including offences relating to Out-work)	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-

Outwork

Nature of Work (1)	Section 133			Section 134		
	No. of outworkers in August list required by S.133(1)(c) (2)	No. of cases of default in sending lists to Council (3)	No. of prosecutions for failure to supply lists (4)	No. of instances of work in unwholesome premises (5)	Notices Served (6)	Prosecutions (7)
Total	21	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE II

Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Act

Class of Premises	No. of prem. regd. during year	Total no. of regd. prem. at end of year	No. of persons employed	No. of regd. prem. receiving a general inspection during year	No. of visits of all kinds to regd. premises
Offices	3	50	295	42	136
Retail Shops	6	97	501	50	
Wholesale Shops					
Warehouses	2	4	39	4	
Catering Establishments open to the public, canteens	-	16	116	7	
Fuel Storage Depots	-	2	8	1	
Totals	11	169	959	104	

TABLE III

Pet Animals Act, 1951Licence Holders

Mr. E. Deller	-	Alton Market
M. A. Rose and Son (Farnham) Ltd.	-	23 Market Street
Messrs. Martin and Stratford	-	Alton Market
Mr. and Mrs. R. Fielding	-	1 Normandy Street, Alton
Mr. L. B. Budd	-	18 Rack Close Road, Alton

Local Government Act, 1894Game Dealers Licence Holders

Messrs. Martin and Stratford	-	Alton Market
Messrs. P. L. Mortara	-	64 High Street
Joyce and Lucas Ltd.	-	78c High Street
Mr. W. Morgan	-	18/20 Market Street

Scrap Metal Dealers Act, 1964Registered Metal Dealers Premises

Mr. F. Lee	-	Mill Lane
Mr. H. Davis	-	Mount Pleasant Road
Mr. C. Gale	-	1 Cut Pound, Tanhouse Lane
Mr. N. King	-	46 Lipscombe Rise

TABLE IV

Housing Acts

(a) No. of houses subjected to		(i) Closing Order	-
		(ii) Demolition Order	-
		(iii) Voluntary Undertakings	-
No. of houses		(i) Closed	-
		(ii) Demolished	-
(b) Compulsory Improvement.			
No. of Preliminary Notices served			-
No. of Improvement Notices served			-
(c) Qualification Certificates		Already Improved	Not Improved
Applications Received		11	3
Applications Approved		11	3
Applications Refused		-	-

TABLE V

Council Dwellings Allocation

Allocations		Source of Accommodation	
From Waiting List	21	Vacancies Tenancy Transfers and Exchanges	
To Key Workers	1		
To Staff	1		23
Exchanges and Transfers	22		22
Total	45	Total	45

TABLE VI

Voluntary Surrender of Unsound Food

	Tons	cwts.	lbs.	Tons	cwts.	lbs.
1. Meat:						
(a) Slaughterhouse						
(i) carcase meat	2	17	98			
(ii) offal	1	10	39	4	8	25
(b) Wholesale premises						
(i) carcase meat	-	-	20			
(ii) offal	-	-	-	-	-	20
(c) Retail Shops						
(i) carcase meat	-	-	-			
(ii) offal	-	-	-	-	-	-
2. Cooked Meat and meat products	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Canned Meats	-	-	-	-	-	49
4. Other canned foods	-	-	-	-	-	27
5. Fish (fresh)	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. Fruit and Vegetables (fresh)	-	-	-	-	-	-
7. Frozen Foods	-	-	-	-	10	14
8. Other foods	-	-	-	-	1	107
	Total			5	1	18

TABLE VII

Food Hygiene (General) Regulations, 1960

Type of Business	No. of Premises	Reg. 16	Regulation 19	
		Premises Fitted To Comply	Premises to which Applicable	Premises Fitted to Comply
Caterers	15	15	15	15
Butchers	9	9	9	9
Fishmongers	2	2	2	2
Grocers	29	29	29	29
Greengrocers	12	12	12	12
Bakehouses	4	4	4	4
Breadshops	5	5	5	5
Breweries	3	3	3	3
Hotels	7	7	7	7
Canteens	2	2	2	2
School Canteens	7	7	7	7
Public Houses	12	12	12	12
Off Licences	4	4	4	4
Slaughterhouses	1	1	1	1
Egg Stations	1	1	1	1
Market Stalls	7	7	-	-
Food Auctions	1	1	-	-
Confectioners	7	7	7	7
Chemists	3	3	3	3
Mobile Traders	4	4	-	-

TABLE VIII

Animal Carcasses Inspected and Condemned

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Pigs
Number killed and inspected	2,728	349	3,080	6,914
All diseases except T.B. and Cysticerci:				
Whole carcase condemned	16	8	13	70
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	367	1	229	1,120
Percentage of the number inspected infected with diseases other than T.B. or Cysticerci	15.5%	2.57%	7.86%	15.00%
Tuberculosis only:				
Whole carcasses condemned	-	-	-	-
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	-	-	-	24
Percentage of the number inspected infected with T.B.	-	-	-	.3%
Cysticercosis:				
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	4	-	-	-
Carcases submitted for treatment by refrigeration	-	-	-	-
Generalised and totally condemned	-	-	-	-

TABLE IX

Animal Diseases for which Whole Carcasses and Organs were condemned

Disease	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Pigs	Total
Abscesses	-	-	-	22	22
Bruising	1	-	-	-	1
Decomposition	-	-	-	-	-
Emaciation	8	-	10	8	26
Immaturity	-	4	-	-	4
Jaundice	-	-	-	-	-
Moribund	1	-	1	6	8
Oedema	-	-	-	-	-
Oedema Emaciation	3	-	2	-	5
Pyaemia	-	-	-	-	-
Pyelonephritis	-	-	-	-	-
Pyrexia	1	4	-	-	5
Septicaemia	1	-	-	-	1
Septic Mastitis	1	-	-	-	1
Septic Metritis	-	-	-	-	-
Septic Peritonitis	-	-	-	14	14
Septic Pleurisy	-	-	-	-	-
Septic Pneumonia	-	-	-	20	20
	16	8	13	70	107

TABLE X

Animal Diseases for which Organs and Part Carcases were condemned

Disease	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Pigs	Total
Heads:					
Abscess	-	-	-	16	17
Actino Bacillosis	-	-	-	-	-
Bruising	-	-	-	-	-
Degenerated Cysts	4	-	-	-	4
Tuberculosis	-	-	-	24	24
Lungs:					
Congestion	-	-	-	107	107
Emphysema	-	-	-	-	-
Parasitic	-	-	179	-	179
Pleurisy	9	-	-	316	325
Pneumonia	30	1	10	322	363
Hearts:					
Degenerated Cysts	-	-	-	-	-
Pericarditis	6	-	-	56	62
Livers:					
Abscess	71	-	6	-	77
Angioma	10	-	-	-	10
Cirrhosis	1	-	-	-	1
Fatty Infiltration	-	-	-	-	-
Necrosis	-	-	-	-	-
Parasitic	206	-	15	230	451
Peritonitis	-	-	-	25	25
Kidneys:					
Hydronephrosis	3	-	-	-	3
Udders:					
Abscess	6	-	-	-	6
Part Carcases:					
Abnormality	-	-	-	-	-
Abscess	6	-	-	16	22
Arthritis	-	-	-	8	8
Bruising	10	-	19	-	29
Injury	5	-	-	-	5
	367	1	229	1120	1225

TABLE XI

Pest Control

	Local Authority	Non-Agricultural	Agricultural	Total
1. No. of premises inspected	10	751	-	761
2. No. of premises found to be infested by rats	10	225	-	235
3. No. of premises found to be infested by mice	-	90	-	90
4. No. of inspected premises treated by Council	10	315	-	325

